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Applicant(s): Tracy A. Willson, et al.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.821

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 17, 2001 and in accordance with the provisions in 37 C.F.R. §1.821, Applicants submit herewith a substitute paper and a substitute computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing, along with a Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §1.821(f), stating that these copies are identical. A copy of the Notice to Comply is also enclosed.

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Applicants respectfully submit that the content of the paper and computer copies of the sequence listing does not introduce new matter.

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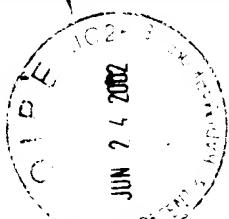
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The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.821 - 1.825 for the following reason(s):

- 1. This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to these regulations, published at 1114 OG 29, May 15, 1990 and at 55 FR 18230, May 1, 1990.
- 2. This application does not contain, as a separate part of the disclosure on paper copy, a "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(c).
- 3. A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e).
- 4. A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has been submitted. However, the content of the computer readable form does not comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.822 and/or 1.823, as indicated on the attached copy of the marked-up "Raw Sequence Listing."
- 5. The computer readable form that has been filed with this application has been found to be damaged and/or unreadable as indicated on the attached CRF Diskette Problem Report. A Substitute computer readable form must be submitted as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.825(d).
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STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f)

Sir:

I hereby state that the content of the substitute paper and substitute computer readable copies of the Sequence Listing submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821 (c) and (e), respectively, are the same.

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